

House Resolution No. 109

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives realize that the rank of Eagle Scout is a performance-based achievement, the proud standards of which have been well maintained for many years; and

Whereas, Shawn Patrick Connelly of St. Ann, Missouri, received the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout during a Court of Honor ceremony held on May 3, 1984, at St. Kevin Catholic Church; and

Whereas, Shawn, a member of Boy Scout Troop 643, successfully met the requirements to attain Eagle status by completing his Eagle project which involved placing collection boxes at all the entrances to St. Kevin Catholic Church to collect clothing for the needy for one month; and

Whereas, during his ten years in Scouting, Shawn mastered several challenging and diverse skills to earn the Arrow of Light, seventy-one merit badges, the Parvuli Dei award, the Ad Altare Dei award, the Mile Swim award, and membership in the Order of the Arrow; and

Whereas, Shawn demonstrated his capability and willingness to exert leadership by fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of Den Chief, Chaplain Aide, Quartermaster, and Patrol Leader; and

Whereas, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Connelly, Shawn developed immense personal growth and fitness by participating in the many assorted activities the Boy Scouts offers, some of which include completing Junior Leadership Training Camp and attending all Camporees and summer camps at Beaumont Scout Reservation and S-F Scout Ranch; and

Whereas, Shawn's attainment of the Eagle rank will be recognized at all levels of our society as being a great achievement that required considerable dedication and effort:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Shawn Connelly for the steadfast determination he displayed in his pursuit to attain the rank of Eagle and in wishing him continued success in all future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eagle Scout Shawn Patrick Connelly.

Offered by _____
Representative Michael G. Corcoran
District No. 77

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session,
do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 109, adopted January 15, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker